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June 2, 2020


Sentencing adjourned from June 18, 2020 to
June 19, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: 6/3/2020

By ECF

Honorable P. Kevin Castel
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007


P. Kevin Castel
United States District Judge

Re: *United States v. Debbie Alvarez*
19 Cr. 831 (PKC)

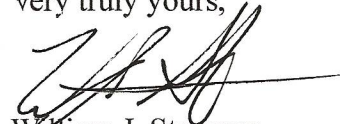
Dear Judge Castel:

In advance of Ms. Alvarez's sentencing in the above-referenced matter now scheduled for June 18, 2020, at 11:00 AM, I enclose an executed copy of her Waiver of Right to be Present at Criminal Proceeding.

Please advise if Ms. Alvarez's sentence will proceed as a video conference or a teleconference.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,


William J. Stampur

Encl.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

-v-

**WAIVER OF RIGHT TO BE PRESENT
AT CRIMINAL PROCEEDING**

DEBBIE ALVAREZ

19-CR-831 (PKC)

Defendant.
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Check Proceeding that Applies

____ Entry of Plea of Guilty

I am aware that I have been charged with violations of federal law. I have consulted with my attorney about those charges. I have decided that I wish to enter a plea of guilty to certain charges. I understand I have a right to appear before a judge in a courtroom in the Southern District of New York to enter my plea of guilty and to have my attorney beside me as I do. I am also aware that the public health emergency created by the COVID-19 pandemic has interfered with travel and restricted access to the federal courthouse. I have discussed these issues with my attorney. By signing this document, I wish to advise the court that I willingly give up my right to appear in person before the judge to enter a plea of guilty. By signing this document, I also wish to advise the court that I willingly give up any right I might have to have my attorney next to me as I enter my plea so long as the following conditions are met. I want my attorney to be able to participate in the proceeding and to be able to speak on my behalf during the proceeding. I also want the ability to speak privately with my attorney at any time during the proceeding if I wish to do so.

Date:

Print Name

Signature of Defendant

 X Sentence

I understand that I have a right to appear before a judge in a courtroom in the Eastern District of New York at the time of my sentence and to speak directly in that courtroom to the judge who will sentence me. I am also aware that the public health emergency created by the COVID-19 pandemic has interfered with travel and restricted access to the federal courthouse. I do not wish to wait until the end of this emergency to be sentenced. I have discussed these issues with my attorney and willingly give up my right to be present, at the time my sentence is imposed, in the courtroom with my attorney and the judge who will impose that sentence. By signing this document, I wish to advise the court that I willingly give up my right to appear in a courtroom in the Eastern District of New York for my sentencing proceeding as well as my right to have my attorney next to me at the time of sentencing on the following conditions. I want my attorney to

be able to participate in the proceeding and to be able to speak on my behalf at the proceeding.
I also want the ability to speak privately with my attorney at any time during the proceeding if I wish to do so.

Date:

Debbie Alvarez

Print Name

X Debbie S. Alvarez
Signature of Defendant

I hereby affirm that I am aware of my obligation to discuss with my client the charges against my client, my client's rights to attend and participate in the criminal proceedings encompassed by this waiver, and this waiver and consent form. I affirm that my client knowingly and voluntarily consents to the proceedings being held with my client and me both participating remotely.

Date:

William J. Stampur

Print Name

William J. Stampur
Signature of Defense Counsel

Addendum for a defendant who requires services of an interpreter:

I used the services of an interpreter to discuss these issues with the defendant. The interpreter also translated this document, in its entirety, to the defendant before the defendant signed it. The interpreter's name is: _____.

Date:

Signature of Defense Counsel

Accepted:

Signature of Judge

Date: